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Sir:

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Oath or Declaration. Applicant's attorney attaches a copy of the March 12, 2004 post card

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["the Office"], and acknowledging receipt of the above identified "continuation application

including Specification [and] <u>Declaration</u>...." (Emphasis added.) Applicant's attorney

therefore requests the Office to rescind its Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional

Serial No. 10/799,578

Response to Notice to File Missing Parts

Response Dated: March 21, 2005

Application in this case since they have previously acknowledged receipt of the Declaration they now allege the application does not contain.

Respectfully submitted,

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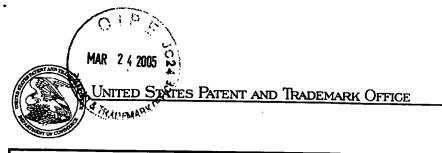
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Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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1. Letter and continuation application including Specification, Declaration, Small Entity statement, and assignment (88 pp.) with 37 C.F.R. § 1.10 Certif. of mailing.

2. Information Disclosure Statement with a 37 C.F.R. § 1.10 Certif. of mailing and 5 PTO Forms 1449 (8 pp.)

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